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Company held on the 18th day of April, 1900.

1.—That the Capital of the Company be in-creased from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000 by

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Hongkong, 19th April, 1900,

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Hongkong, 9th November, 1899. [2-a1394

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Auctioneer. Hongkong, 13th April, 1901.

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18TH APRIL

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Per Kasuga Maru, from Manila, for Hongkong, Messrs. E. W. Hayward, J. Kirk, Mrs. M. J. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. E. Walker, Mr. G. A. Godsall, Miss A. E. Godsall, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Georg, Messrs. F. E. R. Magnus, C.J Flanagan, Mrs. E. Raphael, Mr. and Mrs. H. Morrisby, Messrs. Kruger, P. T. Michell, R. and P. Burker, Mead, R. H. Hampson, Rev. Father Honnessey, Messrs. H. Tsude, Broome Lord Patheren, Rev. Wm. Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Ah Cheong and 2 children; for Japan, Miss. Ciarke, Mr. F. H. Westmacott, Miss M. L. Westmacott, Mr. J. Schmellits, Clark, Mr., Mrs. and Miss Gummons, Mr. B. Mimashi, Mr. and Miss Stratton, Mr. L. Riebald, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Bassott, Misses Basset, Capt. and Mrs. R. K. Stuart, Mrs. M. Moore, Mr. T. S. Henumont,

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and child, Miss Tyler, Mesers G. H. Rosing and H. Bass; for Loudon, Miss Hodkins, Mesers J: Barley, Y. Anderson and A. Campbell; for Bremen. Mr Kreiss; for Hamburg, Mrs Myhre; from Hongkong, for Singapore, Mr H. P. Hard-castle, Mr and Mrs R. C. Dixon and 5 children. Messrs J. A. Thomas, H. W. Andrews, J. Mac-Donald, Mrs N. Barrett and Miss-A. Pety; for Colombo, Capt. G. C. Rigby and Lient. A. Armstrong for Port Said, Mr M. M. Rumeahtzoff; for Genen, Consul E. Heinze; for London, Liout Col Retallick, Mrs G. R. Stevens, Miss Stevens, Mrs Heale, Mrs W. G. Winterburn and 3 babies, Mr and Mrs Strachan, Mesers H. for Hamburg, Mr A. Veidbella

from Genoa, Messrs A. Avelrod and C. Rostiz from Hongkong, for Robe, Mr T. Poperh; for Yokobama, Mr Fred. M. Alger, Dr. Zeyss and W. Daniels: for Nagasaki, Lieut. Rodgers.

VESSELS IN DOCK.

Anning Maru, Progress, Breconshire, H.M.S. CORMOPOLITAN DOCK, -- Don Juan de Austrie

TO-DAY. Auction Sale, Household Furniture, Sales Rooms, Queen's Road Central, Mr. V. I. Romedios, 2.30 p.m.

TO-MORROW. Rooms, Ice-house Street, Messrs. Hughes and Hough, 2.30 pm. Variety Entertainment in aid of the Indian Famine Fund, City Hall, 9 p.r.

TIME TABLE. WEEK DATE.

BATURDAYS. Extra Night cars at 11.80 and 11.45 p.m. SUKDAYS. 8.15 a.m. to 10.15 a.m. ... Every half hour. 10.50 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. ... Every ten minutes.

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Hongkong, Jst May. 1899

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Hongkone, April 19th, 1900.

WHILE the talk about the possibility of war between Groat Britain and France was confined to the organs of Mr. W. T. STEAD and the French Jingoes, there seemed little enough necessity to pay any attention to it. to encourage that madness which is said Our French contemporaries in the East, it is true, have pever relaxed their efforts to persuade their readers that the likelihood of such an event was great. But their whole Singapore. attitude is so utterly determined by the ideas of the "Forward" party slone that it can not be held a true index of the feelings inst., performances being also promised for the of the mass of the nation, Now, however, the subject of this war has been discussed. must therefore be admitted as at least with. the Emperor of Japan will probably not take. Malaces, the Singapore increase being nearly in journals of unimpenchable gravity, and it in the bounds of possibility. The Times various parts of the country. In this case the nearly 8 millions. last month said .- To the chatter of politi- review which was to take place at Kobs will not cal adventurers and of their organs nebody "in England attaches the least importance. What is causing us some concern and litengliong Missionary Association, from which "much surprise is that the illusions from mante to carry on and to extend the existing "which the Rocheronts and he Daumonts Forest has been sent to the Home Committee. suffer, or pretend to suffer should be shared in any degree by serious thinkers. There have been of late indications that "at least some politicians colonitherity in "France are not without apprehension that "sketched out for her by the MACHIAVELLIS of the Gazette de France and the Petit Journal, and to follow up the subjugation " of the Boer Republics by a wanton attack on the French Republic. The notion, it need Imrely be said, seems to us even more artices than the auggestion that France will make war on it when she has filled her pockets at the col of the British visitors to the forthcoming Exhibition. Yet the editor of The National Review,

of an attack on us by France after the close

The English Mal of the 17th March was of the Exhibition. We must be pardoned delivered in London on the lath inst. for making a rather long quotation from what Mr. Maxes says on the "Grand Raid," Regiment, loft yesterday en inclouch. which is said to be the dream of the French Hondquarters Staff, "A large, but fortuwith the next French Mail, left Saigen for this " nately declining, number of Englishmen," port this morning, at 6 a.m. says the writer, " refuse to consider the un-"defended state of this island, on the ground "(1) that the strength of the British Navy stricken in India. "removes all question of invasion out of the "range of practical politics; or, in the altinnes to attract crowded houses. The trained " ternative (2) that if our Navy is not strong

" enough to command the sea and preserve of the Sisters Warren on the trapezo attract special attention, while the changes made in the " us from invasion, we must sit down like fatalists and accept a foreign yoke. This " absolute view of the blue-water' school is "attractive, because it is so easy to understand. But is it as sound as it is simple?

. The margin of numerical superiority "between our battle-fleets and those that "may be opposed to us is by no means so large as is popularly supposed, or as appears on paper, because a considerable "number of our ships are armed with ob-"solete muzzle-loading guns, as inferior to "those of the enemy as were our field "guns to the guns brought into the fresh labout will be obtainable in the Straits field by the Buers. . . Our naval

managurres have taught us that during n short absence of the superior fleet "the inferior rea-power could transport and land a formidable force. The French are educated in the Napoleonic legend, "and are convinced that with a little luck "they could throw at least a couple of Army "Corps into this island, Germany has steadily "encouraged hem in this belief, and would-"enjoy nothing more than to see the experi-"mont tried. The Continental view that it "is practicable may be right, and the British alt., the introduction is prohibited into the view that it is impossible may be wrong. "That England could be invaded by a Con-"tinental army of 500,000 seems to us to be "chimerical, but that a landing of 50,000 could be effected does not appear to us as being beyond the range of those reasonable

contingoncies against which prudent men protect themselves. It is such an enterprise as our nearest neighbour may at land. One lot was Kowloon Marine Lot 68, tompt this autumn, when the pacific influ- which is situate at Mong-Kok-Tsui; contents in square feet, 3,650; annual rent, 335; upset pries, ence of the Exhibition has passed away and France relapses into domestic discord. We shall invite attack unless we immediately organise a serious army for home defence, Have not the English people " sufficient influence over their statemen to "compel them to take this elementary precaution? It is a bad sign that, so far, "Lord Rosenery's demand for the mobilisation of the Navy should remain un-

City Hall, to night, to-morrow and Saturday nights. From it we see that among other itoms are performances of The Arca Belle and a solvetion from the first act of The Mikedo, the Pro-It would appear that Lord ROSEBERY'S logue from Pagliavel, by Mr. Alee Marshi who February speech in the House of Lords, to will also sing lu a quartette, an Indian Dance, and songs from various, ladies and gentlemen. which the allusion here is, had a very wide influence—as indeed the seriousness of the The band will be that of the Royal Welsb Fasiliers. Altogether a most promising prospeaker called that it should. When a man gramme has been drawn up, and everyone who does not go to the City Hall will be making a great mistake as well as failing to contribute a Lord ROSEBERY did, and practically votes little more to one of the most deserving objects for conscription, he is staking much on his for which a fund has over been raised. belief. We do not think Mr. STEAD EXEC-The returns of Plague cases and deaths durgerates when he declares that "if Lord ing Easter are :- To noor of the 12th inst. (24) hours), four fresh cases and two deaths; to noon ROSEBERY is wrong, he has effaced himself of 13th (24 hours), three cases, six deaths; to as a practical politician." If he is right, noon of 14th (24 hours), three cases, two deaths; to neen of 16th (48 hours), three cases, two we must prepare for grave changes. deaths; to noon of 17th (21 hours), two cases, seems to have been concluded that when

no death, During the week ended the 14th Lord ROSEBERY questioned the relinnee on Victoria and one in the Harbour, with 19 the amicable disposition of foreign powers deaths. Of other diseases, two (European) We use only the best and most he was hinting more at France than elsecases of enteric fever, imported from Samshui; and two deaths occurred, while there was one where. Doubtless when most of the inflamcase and one death from small-pox. matory attacks on Britain come from the By the mail on Tuesday came news of the Press of that country, it is necessary to death of Dr. St. George Mivaet, M.D., Ph. D., watch the national attitude with extra etc., who was eminent ulike as a scientist and as caution. But this is no justification for such a controversial theologian. Though he was 73 outlined plans of French invasions as we years of age, his first novel, according to The have seen in some of the less responsible home papers lately, or for amateurish foreeasts of the rapidity with which a hostile the Church of Romo in 1811, Dr. St. George Mivart made for himself a great name as a theotoarmy will reach London from the spot at gical writer. We publish to:day an article by a which it lands. This is not the way to contributor on his recont controversy with the attempt to show France that there is no real reason for hostilities between the two

nuthorities of his Church. This was written, as will be seen, before any likelihood of his sudden countries. Si vis pacein para bellium is the death was auticipated. proverb, but it is equally true that if you Confirmatory despatches have been received want war you need only continue " talking from Peking by the Shanghai mandarins of the return of Viceroy Liu to the Liangkiang Vicoroyalty. Lin is said to have had his farewell war "long enough, Lord Rosenery was audience of the Empress Dowager on the 7th serving his country well when he insisted instant. It is also stated, says The North China that not yet was the gravity of the situation Daily Neies, that in one of the first audiences the Vicercy had, the Empress Donager comrealised to the full. But those who make use manded him to use every means at his command of his words as it were for a horn on which to herald the approach of their prophetic to wipe out" the Reform Party within his plied that it would be almost an impossible task, selves, with their predictions of the fall of London within so many hours of offer if one can prohibit open speech for a short time only it is impossible to prohibit the people from thinking what they wish." The result the landing of a hostile force on . coast of England, are only abusing the the audience seems to have been that Vicercy Lin was allowed to do what he thought best in liberty of the Press to injure their coundealing with the situation. The Straits Times gives an analysis of the

try. It might well be left for Le Monde Illustre to chatter about la guerre Anglo-France-Russe and publish pictures of a French army corps landing at Brighton or General Jamont entering Loudon. If the danger is really imminent-which serious statesmen are relaciant to admit-the obvious policy is to keep one's head and not to be the preliminary to heaven sent ruin.

The Chavalier Francesco Bruni Grimaldi has been appointed Consul-General for Italy in

of merchandise 255 million dollars, is made up of 195 millions for Singapore, 59 millions for The Singapore A.D.C. will produce the musical comedy In Town on Saturday, the 21st Singapore increase being nearly 24 millions, and the Poung increase over 8 millions. The 24th, 26th and 28th inst.

It is said that the visit to Kobe to review the is made up of 165 millions for Singapore, warships toward the close of the manouvres by 58 millions for Reneing, and over 2 millions for place, on account of the prevalence of measles in 24 million dellars, and the Penang increase

Taylor enquired into the circumstances aften dant on a cherge against Kwan Kau, master o We have received the sixth leadet of the the steam launch- Hongkong, owned by, the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown the see that an urgent request for reinforce-Letters on the growth of syangelistic and educational work in Fulkion are viver.

Our Special Telegram to day announces the renewal of the agitation in British Columbia against the immigration of Japane e labourers. It is stated in a contemporary that as a means tion that she would cross his line. The "England really intends to adopt the course of excluding Chinamen from working in the British Columbian miner, a Bill has been introduced forbidding the employment of any stoam lanneh was bound to give way to a rowman whose hair is more than four inches long.

ing boat, he kent on his course watching the conswain of the humon to see if he was going to Among the other reports relating to the his. sampo attair, says The Robe Chronecle, it is after his course. As the launch got closer to stated that an agreement has been made between him he saw that the cornwain did not see his Iturais and Corea binding the latter not to lease Boat so he pulled his boat round just in time Lyosai Island to any other country, and that in to avoid a collision. As he did so the conswain return Russia has withdrawn her claim. it is jumped up and put his launch about and altered further stated that the roughen gurboat Ulvaper his course a little to the right, and just in time is lying at Marainpo to select the ground with- to avoid a collision. The defendant said that in the unit of the Poreign Bettlement to be on Sunday morning he was going from the. legged. And that on the bin inst, the Corean Bullerfield and Swire's Wharf to the Kowleon vernor of Alokpo, ordering him. to grant titles Godown Wharf Ho did not see Buy gig when deeds to the Research deeds to the Russians who care purchased a park doubles to the identity of the langed and to who is by no means a mere irresponsible. journalist, netually consider this suggestion of the Koka Island near that wort.

TELEGRAMS.

DAILY PRESS" SERVICE.

Licul Colonel Retallick, of the Hongkong

The M. M. steamer Occanion, from Europe,

Warren's Circus down at West Point con-

logs and horses and the wonderful performances

programme last night added a welcome variety

Sir Thomas Lipton has cabled to The New

York Journal to the effect that he will again

challenge for the America; Cup. in 1901. His

yacht will probably be built by a Clyde firm.

construction. Otherwise she will be similar to

Indian Government should undertake to suppl

Malaya and has circularised local employers on

and famine evils may be exerted from many who

From the Sydney papers it afficars that the

plague scare has caused a thorough cleansing of

affairs was brought to light. The condition of

the drainage system is said to be on a par with

that of the native quarters in eastern cities, and

an overhauling of the whole town is called for.

Up to the beginning of April there had been

sident of the Republic of Hawaii, dated the 21st

larly from the port of Hongkong, of the follow-

ing foundstates :- Cuttle fish and other dried fish,

lily flower, cranges, dates, lichees, muts, fungus,

At the offices of the Public Work Department

yesterday afternoon Mr. C. J. W. King offered

for sale by public auction two lots of Crown

\$1.600. The lot was bought by Mr. J. Wheeler,

managor, China Borneo Company, for \$2,480.

The other lot comprised Quarry Day Marine

Lot 3, which is situate at Quarry Bay ; contents

in square feet, 1,008,400; annual ront, \$3,680;

upset price, \$100,840. Messrs. Butterfield and

Swire were the purchasers for \$20 above the

We have received the programme of the

Grand Variety Entertainment in aid of the

Indian Famino Fund at the Theatre Royal,

and exports to 225 millions, an impresse a

coxposit was not looking in the direction

which his leunch was going. Understanding a

rice and beams), seaward, mushrooms.

70 cases of plague and 20 deaths in Sydney,

ordinary that by a Proclamation of the 1

the infected quarter to be taken in hand, in the

course of which a most disgraveful state o

might otherwise be sufferers._

the subject. It is thought that by this means

It will have a longer water-line than Shauerock,

LONDON, 17th April, 7.5 p.m.

SIEGE OF WEPENER REPORTED The Singapore Legislative Council on the 10th inst., voted \$20,000 for holp to the famine-

Lord Roberts telegraphs that eighteen were wounded at Wepetier. Unofficial intelligence from various sources states that the stoge of Weponer has been raised.

GREAT STRIKE AT NEW YORK. There is a serious strike at the New York Waterworks, the strikers being principall Italians. The troops have been called out ANTI-JAPANESE AGITATION IN

BRITISH COLUMBIA. and less aluminium will be employed in the The agitation in British Columbia for the restriction of Japaneso immigration has been The Pinang Gazette is advocating that the actively renewed. 200,000 healthy coolies unnually for British

REUTER'S SERVICE.

LONDON, 16th April's

THE WAR. Horses continue to arrive at Bloomfontoin great numbers, but they are in a low condition and will require nursing. The mortality among The losses at Wepener telegraphed yesterday

were unterior to 14th Tust. The lesses since that are not known. The garrison signalled "all well" on Saturday,"

It is notified in a Government Gazette Estranorthward, short of ammunition and disheart. to Holy Scriptura. Hawaiian Islands from all foreign ports and ened. It is stated that President Kruger has places infected with plague, and more particubeen to Brandfort and has visited the south lately. This continual exertion of his personal influence appears to have become a significant ducks, pork, samage, dried meats, dried vegetables, cabbago, clives, birds' nests, hizo (cocked

LONDON, 16th April.

NEWS FROM MAFERING. Licut. Smithenan, of the Ethodesian Regimen reached Mafeking through the Boar lines ar returned to Col. Plumor's Camp on the Sth ins He reports Maleking "all well" on the 5th inst.

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inst. 19 cases were recorded in the City of N.S. Tata... A Sympathiser.

OLIVERS FREEHOLD MINES,

The fourth ordinary nauval general meeting of shareholders in the above Company was held St. James's Gazette, is only just on the point at the offices of the Company, 38 and 40, Queen's of appearance, which is certainly a triumph of Road Central, yesterday, at noon. Mr. Hart late anthorship in the line of fiction. Joining Buck presided, and there were also present; Messrs. C. Ewens (of the Consulting Committee), H. Humpbreys, G. Murray Bain, Paul Jordan, H. Mancell, Lau Chu Pak, and W. C.

The CHAIRMAN said-Gontlemen, As I presume you have all examined the report and statement of accounts, I will, with your permission, adopt the usual custom at these mostinge and take them as read. You also received at the same time the mining manager's report for the 12 months under review, so that it will not be necessary for me to add much to what is contained therein. I think we can fairly congratulate ourselves on the year's working and, considering the comparatively short time the Company has been in existence, our results are most encouraging. Comparing 1899 with 1898, we find that in 1898 we ornshed 6,383 tons of stone, realizing 2,367 ozs. 6 dwis. of gold, being un average yield of 7.4 dwts; per tou, while 1899 we crushed 6,596 tong, which gave us 4,535 ozs, 13 dwts, an average of 137 dwts, per ton, the value of the gold won being \$171,482.86. You will notice in the accounts that the balance at debit of working account at the hoginning of the year has been almost wiped off, that amount, standing at \$4,133.92 instead \$40,671.41, thus showing a substantial profit on the working account of \$36,537.49, and I think Straits Trade Returns for 1899. From this. appears that this trade roughly, including butlion and specie, amounts to £53,000,000. With this our contemporary compares that of the Dominion of Canada amounting to £61,000,000; New South Wales, £52,000,000; Victoria,

you will agree with me that considering our very small capital this tesult is extremely and compares very favourably with gold mining companies who enormous capitals to assist thom. During my a visit to some mines situated about 20 miles, spirod writings; that, for instance, the world was trip to our mines the year before last I paid £32,000,000; and, to come nearer home; British from Mount Macdonald, and was in rmed by not made in six days, that the story of the serpent India soaborno trade, £210,000,000; and Coylon, £12,000,000. Under the heading of Gross Trade. the manager that his company, a Lo. lon one, the imports of merchandise and specie furnished machinery, etc., and they had not at present 293 million dollars, an increase of 34 millions; started crushing. This amount compared with and the exports 249 millions, an increase of 27 our small capital is, I think, a proof that our Noah's Ark is quite erroneous, as again that millious; or, when the specie and bullion are money has been profitably expended, for you the plagues of Egypt; that neither Joshua nor taken away, imports come up to 255 millions tanst remember that we were unable to make Hezekieli interfered with the regularity of solar nearly 32 millions on each. The import value use of the old Euroka Shaft, but had to sink a Penang, and nearly 2 millions for Mulacca, tho export value of merchandise. 225 million dollars, At the Barbone Office yesterday Mr. Basil work and the purchase of extra machinary will of course cost money, and although we have sufficient for some time to come it is probable that the final call on the B shares will shortly be made. We are also erecting an experimental Company Limited, of negligoutly navigating evanide plant, to treat about 10 tons of bis boat - Major Riley said that just before ornshad ore at a time, and if this is found ten o'clock on Sunday morning be was starting successful and in Mr. Robert's opinion it from the Royal Engineers Pier to go to the hospital ship Meen .cc. He was being rowed ap a larger plant, this form of treating ore being particularly mexpensive. Before moving an a gig by four Army Service Corps boatmen He taw a steam lannoh coming from the Vio the adoption of the report and statement of toria side whom about a quarter of a mile from the accounts, I shall be pleased to answer any Alcoance The launch was coming in sachindirec-

No questions being asked, the report was adopted, on the motion of the CHATHMAN, see couded by Mr. G. MUREAY BAIN. Mr. W. H. Potts was relolocled auditor, on the motion of Mr. Manoria, seconded by Mr. This was all the business.

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DE MIVARTAND MOCLESIASTICAL CENSURE.

(FROM A CONTRIBUTOR.)

Few mon of scionos have deserved better the Church of Rome than Dr. St. George Mivert, and it is difficult to diving what advantage for religion or the Church Cardinal and audiguided proceedings against him. Surely gradually develops into a record of real

distinguished men of science of the Co ding his faith in the doctrines of the Church, as to now much of reality there is in the account to express his disbelief in the supposed super- of the generations of Neah, and in this light be natural interference of the Almighty in so generally comes to regard the Bible as one of ordinary an event as the illness of King the precious remains of old time handed down Hozekiah Dr. Mivari, with all thinking men, for the instruction of the present. Such could not being himself to associate with an All socing Wisdom so childlike and purposeloss an interference with the course of nature as would be implied in such events as the standing still of the san on Mt. Gibeah or the going back of the shadow on King Hezekiah's dial; and bocause he refused to stultify his religion, and degrade his intellect to the level of the fetichworshipping African, he is forsooth to be relegated to the level of the unbeliever. It there be one thing more than another on which the Vationa bosats itself it is its unchangeability. in Rome declared the dostrine of the Church were qualified by the Theological Qualifiers as merited contempt.

Piret.—The proposition that the sun is the THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON contre of the world, and immoreable from its Persistent reports are current that the Boors | place, is absurd, philosophically false, and formin the south sust of the Free State are retiring ally heretical; because it is expressly contrary

> Second,-The proposition that the earth is not the centre of the world, but that it moves, and also with a diurnal motion, is absurd. philosophically fulso, and, theologically considered, at least erroneous in faith."

Rome has long since acknowledged its error. and has been a liberal supporter of astronomical

science; but this only makes the case of dinal Vaughan the more incomprehensible. The CHAIRMAN said-Gentlemen, this meet-Church has confessedly erred once is it possible the Church should err again? and this the more likely in that the circumstances are so nearly identical? There is in fact an intimate resemblance between the cases: the seventeenth. century, as the ninetoenth, was a time of growing knowledge; a northern German, by name Copernious, had called in question the concludering recent years, and also with a view to sious of Ptolemy; and had boldly asserted that provide for future developments. During the cial distitled water. the Greek was in error, by saying that the earth | nine years since our debentures were issued, i.e. was the inferior bedy, and moved round the sun. Foremost in the world of seience was the this was borrowed with the exception of \$54,193, sinks and the corresponding density of the ligreat Italian Galileo. Galileo had distinguished which was set aside from profits. Interest quid. A new instrument measures the density himself by certain discoveries in the laws of on the money borrowed, which in the esse by the inclination of a float, and as the readings. motion; and had with the knowledge thus their first cost, has been paid for entirely accurate than the common form, and is capable gained been led to investigate the newfangled theories of the German, which he found agreed. are placed upon the list of productive assets with his own discoveries. Galileo's talent was of the Company's profits should improve by, at a practical nature and this led him to the improve A proportion of the outlay, vis. \$187,430 has improved means of investigation bore out the the Company a premises at Kowloon. This plant physiology. The sap is expalled by the results of his calculations; and Galileo became openly the exponent of the now Astronomy. Darwin, a distinguished noturalist, found he acknowledge the rule of change, did not as a devout churchman, see his way to accepting Darwinism, as the new dectrine came to be called, in its entirety; and becames the great opponent of what he viewed as its materialistic tendencies. For this he was acknowledged for a time as the champion of the Church; but, though contestible facts on which they were founded,

conscientious a man not to acknowledge the inwas leading up to a growing feeling of the incompatibility of science and what was erroneously supposed to be religion. Dr. Mivart. held, with many great and good men, that the cause of religion could not be advantaged by bringing it into a contest with fact; and that it was wiser to acknowledge previous mistakes than have the online edifice shattered in an open war against truths which were capable of domonstration as such. As many of the alleged occurrences, given in the Bible as Indiamatable facts, were demonstrably either inventions, or the ordinary outgrowth of the want of exact knowledge ou the part of the writers, it was evident that there was something wrong in the accepted doctrines of plenary inspiration. In this case Dr. Mivart had pointed out that there are numberless mintatements of fact in the inand the tree is altogether false, that the history of the Tower of Babel is a mere fiction deroid of any semblence of truth; that the story of

time; that Jonah did not live within the body further developments and have decided to that cortainly never spoke. These are facts to be iness. Our experience of the native lighterman relief could be varied according to the concent. the advice of Mr. Roberts, we have commenced of any marine animal, and that Balann's ass open out at the 100 feet level and I trust that believed or not, according to the rulings of our build our own boats as a measure of salf-preser-film was placed upon the mustemed plane surconsidered very probably, that it has again fuith. The raling of the Vatican on the revolucontracted and grown richer. We shall also tion of the aun round the earth did certainly not connect the Eureka and B shafts at the 150 ft. bring about any change in the physics of the we got the "Weollownoolo "and "Pig and selar system, the Church had an instinct of this Whistle" shoots, which were very rich near fact, when it said that the centrary was philo- take full advantage of any further expansion the surface, we shall find good stone. This cophically wrong, as well as doctrinally false; and it was only to this lingering instinct of the real issue that Dr. Mivart appealed. Unfortunately Cardinal Vaughan's finding leaves the question in a worse light than over. Were Dr. Mivert following the Judgmont to commence toaching in the sokools, as the Judgment plainly is likely to be, we must think about putting requires, that Balaam's ass spoke excellent Hobrow, he would bring down rightly upon himself the contempt of all men-probably Cardinal Vaughan himself. Of course it may dividend out of the profits of the year 1900, and be pleaded that there was no need to make himself ridiculous, and that a subject of this nature begging the question. It may be quite true The CHAIRMAN-Gentlemen, that is all the rain penetrates into the soil and is available for that nothing depended on the fact of an use of one time speaking correct Hebrew; but the same

cannot be said of other statements in the Bible. Human physiology would be gravely affected if the story of Eye's orealion were a factor if the subsequent tale of the change in Adam and Eve's physical development, so as to enable thom to bear children were an actual fact. Again,

The British steamer Hector, from Slinghai 15th April, bad rariable wind with thunds 16th light variable wind, thick log until the whole history of life on the marik would on the hour of lith wenther clouding of Chapel

six days -or even six periods -of prestion. An ordinary manu, it is true, passes lightly over these contradictions, because for the most part he has not been taught the doctrine of necessary belief in authority ansupported by experience, in the Holy Spriptures, even if prepared to asknowledge their diductly charac-

Cardient Vanghan does not expect them at the occurrence. He does not, for instance, quarrel precontains a population of about 2,000 people. care the days of the twentieth century. The sun will with account of the sleepent of the sleep is the ground for condemning one of the most verson as in judges the medicine of true blatory over rated. High naval authorities of various in the Shahmamehof the Persian post Firdusi. having had the moral courage, without disear. He can form his own concidenous without envil regard is consistent with the highest reverence. and the strictest man of science sees no incompatibility in reconciling it with the purest pasiness and residential quarters.

religious continent. It is however inconsistant with the seclesinstical mind to permit se simple a solution of a non-existent difficulty, and the necessary outcome is a widespread feeling of incredulity provailing with the increase of knowlege. The Church of Rome, it is right to regioniber, has no monopoly of this falso sentiment, which is unfortunately as rempant outside her limits as within her fold. It is On the 20th of June, 1633, the Sacred College bowever the fact that without the concurrence of an ignorant strainm in the population such in this very matter to be as follows :- 'The consures as those to which Dr. Mivart has been stability of the sun and motion of the earth an jeoted result with no response but well

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Yesterday at noon, an extraordinary general declination from 31 dag. E. to 96 dag. W., and meeting of the shareholders in the Hongkong in inclination from 13 deg to 70 deg. these and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, inclinations being respectively those normal Limited was held at the Company's Offices, for to Morocco and Spitzbergen. The questhe purpose of passing resolutions relative to tion has since been taken /up by l'rof. increasing the capital of the Company. Hou. Leyst of Moscow, who has noted a point name J. J. Keswick presided and the other gentle. Kotchetowks where the dipping models reached men present were Hon C. P. Chater, C.M.G., the vertical. The resting on cretaceons rock It is only right to add that the Church of Messes D. M. Moses, N. A. Siebs, J. A. Mac. and explorations to dopths of 600 feet have kay, A. Haupt, P. Sachse (Directors), R. C. failed to reveal any iton Wilcox, E. Georg, R. K. Leigh, C. H. Thomson, C. S. Sharp, E. S. Joseph (shareholders),

md E. Osborne (Secretary). ing has been convened for the purpose of asking your consent to an increase of the Company's capital to meet the outlays we have made in the purchase of additional hand, in the erection of new buildings, and in the construction of lighters, launches and other requirements of the business which have been rendered necessary and grow in spring water to 12 to 16 inches. in consequence of the large expansion that has characterised the Wharf Company operations of new baildings might be fairly debited to out of earnings, so that when these extensions of wonderful sensitiveness.

land was hought before the recent rise in the expansion, caused by warmth of the gas convalue of property there, and though at the tained in the wood cells. moment unproductive, it stands in the books at This threw discredit on many of the doctrines less than its market value to day and may taught in the schools; and as Galileo refused therefore be said to have already benefited the of ground owned by the Company at Kowlood, which must in the future become a central part of the colony, we shall be in a position to negative cust touch the motal. erect warehouses worthy in size of the colony's unable to accept in their widest extent the future trade, and these warehouses, unlike pritheories of the new school, Dr. Mirart was too rate godowns scattered here and everywhere, will possess a permanency of situation which

cannot fail to favourably affect the Company's prospority. The Wharf Company's and was thus led into further invostigation as history from the date of its inception has been to things which had been for ages accepted as a continuous fight against difficulties, and our facts, and the toaching of which in his eyes greatest trouble during the past three years has been, and is to-day, the want of sufficient godown room. The matter has been referred, to at the last two annual meetings of shareholders and bids fair to become a chronic complaint, for no sooner is know godown completed than it is at once filled, and enquiries for our space, have lately been so namerous that we have been compelled to hire godowns, and even then have found it necessary to refuse prohiable storage. Another and very lucrative manuer in which our hand can be utilised is in the erection Chinese houses for which there is an increasing demand at Kowloon, and the Company properly being near the forry offers exceptional advantages in timt respect. The expendi- and these remaining bairs doopped out a week ture on new lugs and lighters, amounting later. A leadful mask protects the unaffected to \$123,825, denotes a growth of that branch of skin. work which strictly speaking does not come within the scope of a wharinger and warehouseman's business. It is a branch of work, however, that is not only very necessary but which provides a valuable source of revenue and one that is capable of considerable development. Formerly we were to a large extent dependent: upon native earge beats, but, owing to the unreasoning extertion of the lightermen together with what appeared to resemble a combination on their part with our opponents in the same line of business, we found it positively neceseary, if we were to retain the business we had

> I now beg to propose the following resciutions 1.—That the capital of the Company be increased from \$1,00,000 to \$1,500,000 by the oreation of 10,000 new shares of \$50 each, 2 That such new shares be issued at the premium of \$ 5 per share and be allotted to the sharsholders of the Company in the proportion of one new share for every two shares now bold by them.

3.—That/the amount due for the new shares be called up as follows viz :- \$50 per share on the 1st July, 1900, to rank for six months the remaining \$25 por share on the 1st Mr Wilcox seconded, and the resolution

business of the meeting. The announcement springs while in summer this amount only reaches of the confirmatory meeting which will be a quarter that of rain. Three gatters were used, necessary will be published.

SHIPPING REPORT.

lightning and honey rain on the night of Bib. have to be very differently lang at were the tea. Island, thence turport light variable wind and oher to have to accommodate it to the period of clear weather.

THE HARBOUR OF MASAMPO.

Mr. J. N. Jordan, Hillish Cousul Conoral at Beonie who recently visited Masampo, describes the harbour as follows:-Donglas inlet, which forms the entrance to the hardoff of Masampo, lies between the two large iglands of Kojedo and Tondaisan, and is about live miles in breadth. It is divided into tor. He sees the same features as in other ancient three channels by Cone and Paipong islands.

Vaughan hoped to gain by his very reactionary literature, which beginning in myth and labre all of which contain abundant depth of water fine it in the world, and some would even go the length of donying that it has any superior in the rosabilities which it affords for maval purposes. The special feature of the place would seem to be the uniform depth of water -six to seven fathoms and excellent holding ground found everywhere in the large expanse of land looked water that lies between Sir Harry Perkea Sound and the gate below Massingo Reach. The area of the Settlement is about 60,000 square metres (150 acres), and the situation seems to be admirably adapted for communicial purposes, containing abundant good sites for

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

CENTRAL EUROPE'S MAGNETIUSPOT -- POISON IN DISTILLED WATER-AN INCLINATION STORONETER-THE MAPLE'S SAP -ETCH-ING BY ELECTRICITY -AFRATION FROM A NEW SOURCE A H CRMLESS DEPILATORY -гиотобзария IN RELIEF -- риозрноц-ESCENT GLASS -- WATER IN SOIL.

The extraordinary bahaviour of the magnetic media in the province of Bures, in this six is one of the most juteresting of problems to physicists. A mignatic survey, was first made by Prof. Mourous, who mide observations at 109 stations, and in the small plateau of about two square miles botween the Plott; Solotinka rivers he found vaciations i

The late assertion that distitled water acts as a poison on account of its powerful solvent properties has not been generally accepted. Such water has appeared to stant the growth of roots. but M. Victor de Claves, a French betanist, has now shown that while the roots of sprouted wheat stop growing in commercial distilled water on reaching a length of perhaps an inch they also grow in the first water to la inches after that has been redistilled in glass. The poison is from the copper still used for commer

The ordinary hydrometer is a vertical float in the extensions referred to and the whole of with a scale to measure the depth to which it are not affected by capillarity, it is much morn

> The flow of sap in the maple in spring has been experimentally shown by Mr. W. A. Orton to be a phenomenon of physics rather than of

The engraying of metal dies by pleatrolytic etching is a new process that a German comto retract, and teach what his conscience told Company's financial position by the amount pany expects to work extensively. A plaster him was wrong, he had to undergo the censure, additional land the Company is in a position electrolyte, and connected to the negative pole of the Church, with what in those days was the to meet the demand for godown accommodation of a source of electricity, the metal plate to be inevitable accompaniment, punishment and on the Kowloon side of the Harbour caused etched being attached to the positive pole. As degradation. In more modern times Charles by the rapidly disappearing godowns in other the cast and the plate touch, the circuit is closed, degradation. In more modern times Charles by the rapidly disappearing godowns in other the cast and the plate touch, the circuit is closed, degradation. In more modern times Charles by the rapidly disappearing godowns in other the cast and the plate touch, the circuit is closed, degradation of the contraction of the colony. This searcity of accommodate the metal to be dissolved at the points dation is the natural result of land being utilised of contact. To get good results, the contact could not reconcile with the facts the accepted for trades which yield more profitable results must be but momentary, the insoluble particles doctrines of the immutability of species; and than the warehousing of goods. It is one of in the metal being brushed away after each, in their stead propounded certain new theories | the inevitable conditions of a thriving commerce | and the accurate repetition of the touching at and an expanding city that land in central posi- the same points is effected by an automatic to account for the gradual process of change. | and an expanding only that land the warehouse, | machine, which also operates the brushes. The which he proved to be the universal rule of which has therefore to give way for the factory. etching of a steel plate to a dopth of 1.25th of an nature. Dr. Mivart, though compelled to the shop, the dwelling, and the office. It is this inch requires 600 to 700 contacts, of about 12 commordial evolution, the growth of industrial seconds each; the whole proceeding occupying for activity, which is driving the Hongkong ware | 5 hours. The best electrolyte for etching steel house further effeld and in which, it may be sufely is a ten per cent, solution of chloride of aminopredicted, lies the future of the Wharf Co. And | niam with a little hydrochloric acid, and the for the reason that on account of the large area- best current is 1.3 numberes per square inch, at 8 to 12 volts, but the voltage must be smaller at the beginning when only the points of the

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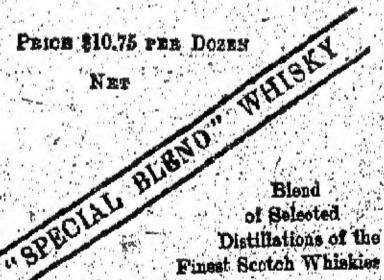
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HE EIGHTH ORDINARY GENERAL ended 23th February, 1900, will be presented, .. The TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED | Praya Centr 1, on or before the 30th APRIL from the 16th to 21st April, Inclusive. By order of the Directors.

E. R. PALMER. Secretary. Shonghai, 6th April, 19 0. HALL AND HOLTZ, LIMITED.

NIOTICE is boraby given that an EXTRA ORDINARY GENERAL MEET ING of the SHAREHOLDERS of this Company will be beld immediately after the Annual General Meeting, which will take place at the Company's Offices, No. 4 Boochew Road, Shanghai, at 11 o'clock in the Forenoon of the 21st day of April, 190), at which the following Special Resolutions will be proposed and submitted.

RESOLUTIONS. .-That the Capital of the Company be increased to Mex. \$280,000 by the creation of 7.4 00 additional ordinary shares of Mex. \$20 each, ranking for dividend and in all other respects pari passu with the exist ing ordinary shares in the Company. .-That the Directors be and they are hereby a thorised to altot such newly created issue at par among the existing Members of the Company as to at much as may be applied for ; so that each Blember shall be entitled to apply for one Share of the new is us for each share of the old issue held by him and that the amounts payable on such new

shares so applied for should be paid to the Company at such times as the Directors shall appoint. -That the Directors be authorised to dispose of any shares unapplied for by a Shareholder under the last preceding Resolution within the time appointed to such person

or persons and upon such terms as the Directors may think fit. By Order. E. R. PALMER. Secretary. Shanghai, 6th April, 1900.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY LIMITED. TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEET-ING of the Hongkong Hetel Company, Limited, will be held at the Company's Hotel on TUESDAY, the 24th April, 1900, at 12 o'clock (Noon), when the subjoined resolution which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meet-

ing of the Company held on the 27th day of March, 1800, will be sumitted for confirmation as a special resolution. That the New Regulations already an-" proved by this meeting, and for the purpose of identification subscribed by

the Chairman thereof, be and the same "are, hereby approved, and that such Regulation be, and the same are, hereby adopted as the Regulations of the Compony to the exclusion of all the existing Regulations thereof." A copy of the proposed New Regulations, may be seen at the Company's Office, and can

be obtained by application to the Undersigned. Dated Hongkong, the 2nd day of April, 1900. By Order of the Board. C. MOONEY.

Hongkong, 2nd April, 1900. GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY LIMITED.

TOTICE is bereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREMOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 9, Prays Central, on SATURDAY, the 28th April, 1300, at Noon, when the subjoined Resolution, which was passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting held on flie 12th April. 1900, will be submitted for confirmation

RESOLUTION. "That the Capital of the Company be increased to \$1,000,000 by the creation and leave of 50,000 New Shares of \$10 each fully paid up." SHEWAN, TOMES & CO. General Managers

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> Dated, 27th March, 1900. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers. HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT

AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED. of the Board of Directors of the above ences. Company, held at the Registered Office of the Company, Queen's Road Central. Victoria. Hongkong, on Tousday, the Twenty seventh day of March, 1900, the following Resolutions

were passed:-1.-That in pursuance of the provisions of the Special Resolution passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 7th and contirmed on the 27th March instant and since duly registered, the sum of \$1,250,000 be withdrawn from the Reserve Fund and kong Club) since November last, where I still be carried as of the 2nd July maxt to the continue business as TAILOR, OUTFITTER now standing to the credit of each Share. 2.- That the balance of \$25 per Share of the

Unpaid Capital of the Company be called up, and that a Call be and is hereby made of \$25 per Share upon all the Shares of the Company, and that the Sharebolders be requested to pay the same to the Company's Bunkers, the IVE poration, at their premises, Queen's Road Cantral, on or before the 2nd day of

-- July, A.D. 1901. Shareholders are hereby requested to pay accordingly. And Notice is also given that, in accordance with Article 34 of the Company's Articles of Association, interest will be charged as from the said 2nd day of July, 1900, at the rate of \$19. per centumper annum, upou all Calls remaining unpaid after the 9th day of July, 1900, up to the actual dates of payment of the same.
By Order of the Board,

A SHELTON HOOPER. Secretary. Hongkong, 28th March, 1900.

THE PUNJOU MINING COMPANY. LIMITED.

NOTICE T) SHAREHOLDERS. SHARES in this Company on which a CALL of \$1 was made PAYABLE on the 3cd of \$1 was made PAYABLE on the 3rd day of MARCH, 1900, and which said Call has not yet been paid, are liable to be forfeited, in accordance with the Articles of Association of

Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. p.a. will be charged on all Overdue Calls. W. H. GASKELL. Secretary. Hongkong, 18th April, 190).

THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given that SCRIP Company, numbered 28,904 to 28,918, in the name of PAUL JORDAN, Esquire, of Hongkong, having been LOST, a New Scrip for the came will be issued after One wouth from the date hereof, and the Original Serip will be

considered by the Company as null and void, and all persons are hereby warned against accepting or negotiating same. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managors. Hongkong, 30th March, 1900. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,

LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given that SCRII IN number 362 for TEN SHARES of this Company, numbered 7,165 to 7,174, and dated the 20th Mar, 1893, in the name of FUNG WA CHUN, of Hongkong, having been LOST, a New Scrip for the same will be issued after One month from the date hereof. 1154 and the Original Scrip will be considered by the Company as null and void, and all persons are hereby warned against accepting or negotiuting the same. By Order

C. MOONEY, Hongkong, 30th March, 1900. GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY. LIMITED.

Number 812 for 8 SHARES of the Company, numbered 13,414 to 13,421, in the name OF WILLIAM MONARCH BURNSIDE ARTHUR, Esquires of Hongkong, having bean LOST, a New Scrip for the same will be issued after One month from the date hereof, D. KRESSNANN & CO. S and the Original Scrip will be considered by the Company as pull and void, and all persons are hereby warned against accepting or negothiling same. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO. Goueral Managers.

Hongkong, 11th April, 1900;

THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE. APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF

TRADE MARK. NOTICE is hereby given that CHU SIP CHUEN and CHUSHAU CHI, trading in Co-partnership under the name of CHU YAU LAN, at No. 104, Wing Lok Street, February: Victoria: Hongkone, Tobacca Merchants, have, on the 5th day of March. 1900, applied for the Registration in Hongkong in the Register of THADIS MARKS of the following TRADE MARK:-

I lie figure of a Stag enclosed in a square orna. mented design; above the figure are the English words "OHU YAU LAN TRADE MARK." above which again are the Chinese characters "CILU YAU"LAND on each side of the figure are the Chinese characters KAM LUK WAI KI." signifying in Englieh "Golden Stag" as Mark," in the name of CHU YAU LAN. who claim to be the Sole Proprietors thereof. . The TEADE MARK is intended to be used by the applicants forthwith in respect of the following goods, namely, Tobacco in Class 45. A Faccinile of the TRADE MARK can be seen at the Office of the Colonial Secretary of Hongkoug, and also at the Office of the undersigned Dated the 17th day of March, 1900.

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THE FRENCH MAIL. The M. M. steamer, Oceanion, with the French Mail of the 23-1 March, left Saigon on Thursday, the 19th instant, at 6 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Sunday, the 22nd instant. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 17th

PIEM AMERICAN MAIL. The T. K. K steamer Hongkong Marn with the American Mail, left Yokohama on Thursday , the 19th instant, at darlight, and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 27th The O. & O. eteamer Gaelio, with the American' Mails, left Yokohama on Friday, On New YORK. the 13th instant, at daylight and may be

expected here on or about Saturday, 21st inst. MERCHANT STEAMERS. The N. Y. K. steamer Milke Maru (Bombay Line) left Bombay, via ports, for this port on the 3rd instant, and is expected to arrive here on the 20th Instant. The N. Y. K. steamer Tawata Maru (Aus-

for this port on the 17th instant, and is expected to arrive here on the 24th instant. The N. P. stemmer Pathan left Yokohama for Hongkong on the 19th ultime: The N. P. steamer Abergeldie sailed from Portland, Or., for Japan and Hongkong on the 28th altimo. The N. P. steamer Dake of Fife sailed from

Thooms for Japan and Hongkong on the 5th

The N. P. steamer Delayvoslok left Yokohama for Kobe on the 6th instant. The N. P. steamer Saint Irene left Yokohama or Hongkong on the 6th instant. The N. P. steamer Glenogle has arrived at Kohe and sailed for Hongkoug on the 10th nataut.

The N. P. steamer Tacome has arrived at

Yakabama and sailed for Kobe on the 10th instant. The Cal. & O. Steamer Carlisle City arrived at Yokobama from San Diego on the 11th instant, and left-for Robe, Moji, and Hongkong. The Austrian Lloyd's steamer Maria Valerie left Manile for this port on the 18th instant.

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MONEY Orders by French Mails.-In consequence of the departure of the French mails having been altered to noon on Mondays instead of on Saturdays, the Money Order Office will not be opened for the sale of Money Orders on those days until Noon.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

11.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. or in Letter Boxes in the Cars by 12 and 3.30 o'clock Trams. Letter. Boxes at Peak will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m. The Postal Guide for 1899, revised to date will be found in the Chronicle and Directory. P. XXX This is the only authorised complete

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Summary of Postal information published in Hongkoug. A MAIL WILL CLOSH. For Chefoo and Newchwang .- Per Sulberg. to-day, the 19th instant, at 11.00 A.M. For Karatzu .- Per Ariake Maru, to-day, the 19th instant; at 11.09 A.M. For Yokohama and Kobe-Per Silisia, today; the 19th instant, at 1.60 P.M. For Hongay.—For Lady Joicey, to-day, the 19th instant, at 2 m P.M. For Maulia,-Per Yuensang, to-day, the 19th instant, at 2.00 P.M. For Shanghai Per Lycemoon, to-day, the 19th instant, at 3.03 P.M.

Anping Maru, today, the 19th instant, at For Baigon -Per Kutsang, to-day, the 19th For Shanghai - Per Glenskiel, to-day, the 19th instant, ut 5.00 P M. For Amoy, Shanghai. Kobe, Yokohema, Victoria, B C. and Seattle, U.S.A .- Per Kinshin Marn, to-day, the 19th inst. at 5.00 P.M. For Bangkok .-- Per Monghut, to-morrow, the

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20th instant, at 9.60 A.M For Takao. Per Fusan Maru, to morrow, the 20th instant, at 11.00 A.M. For Kobe and Yokohama.-Per Eskdale, tomorrow, the 20th inst., at 11.00 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kabe and Yokuhama-Per Rasuga Maru, on Saturday, the 21st instant, at 10.00 A.M.

For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta-Per

Catherine Apear, on Saturday, the 21st instant,

at 2.00 P.M.

For Singapore, Penang, Colombo and Bombay. Per Maria Vaterie, on Monday, the 23rd instant, at noon. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Pocket City of Peking will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 21st instant, with mails for Shangbai, Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada,

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Hongkong, 13th April, 1900. THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

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